THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) to (c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Delhi Police Officers Transferred to Andaman and Nicobar Islands

2091. SHRI BHAGATRAM MANHAR:

SHRI BIR BHADRA PRATAP SINGH:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that police officers transferred to Andaman and Nicobar Islands from Delhi Police are not promptly relieved from the Ministry of Home Affairs to report for duties there;

(b) whether it is also a fact that most of the officers transferred to Andaman and Nicobar Islands proceeded on leave to avoid transfers; and

(c) what are the details of ACPs/DCPs transferred to Andaman and Nicobar Islands from Delhi during the last one year who have not reported to the Andaman and Nicobar Islands Administration so far and what action Government propose to take against such officers?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) to (c) It is a fact that some officers, after issue of transfer orders by the Ministry of Home Affairs, could not be relieved immediately because of various administrative reasons by the field organisations where they were posted. Out of the Police officers transferred from Delhi Police to Andaman and Nicobar Islands Administration during the last one year, only one DCP and one ACP have not reported to their duties at Andamans so far since these officers have not been relieved by the Delhi Administration.

Import of Essential Oils by the Coca Cola Company

2092. SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA:

SHRI RAMSINH RATHWA:

Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question 360 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 20th July, 1989 and state:

(a) what are the essential oils that are proposed to be imported by the Coca Cola Company; and

(b) how will Government ascertain that these essential oils are not indigenously available?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. R. DAS MUNSHI): (a) and (b) Units in the Export Processing Zones may source their inputs either from within the country or from abroad in accordane with the duly approved scheme of manufacture. In the case of Coca Cola Project, it is understood that the essential oils not available indigenously would be imported. The company has not indicated the specific items of raw materials to be imported. The operation of export Processing Zone units will, however, have to conform to the approved terms and conditions and scheme to manufacture which take into account the foreign exchange outgo, earnings, value addition, etc.

Representation from November, 1984 Riot Victims Association, New Delhi

2093. SHRI B. SATYANARAYAN REDDY:

SHRI PARVATHANENI UPENDRA:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have recently received any representation from November 1984 Riot Victims Association (Delhi Businessmen), Janakpuri, New Delhi and

others containing complaints of the victims to the effect that they have been paid very meagre amount of *ex-gratia* by the D. C. Office, Delhi against their heavy losses relating to uninsured commercial properties; and

(b) if so, what action has been taken by Government for re-opening their cases of appeals for making payment of difference *i.e.* from 50 per cent of the estimated losses or maximum of Rs. 50,000|- of each case minus payments made recently?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SANTOSH MOHAN DEV): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) According to the Delhi Administration appeals received by them are of two main categories:

(i) appeals for enhanced compensation from those already sanctioned compensation; and

(ii) appeals for re-opening cases rejected by Claim Settlement Officers.

The Delhi Administraiton have initiated action to take a final view in regard to these appeals/representations.

Representation submitted by November, 1984 Riot Victims Association of Maharashtra Businessmen

2094. SHRI B. SATYANARAYAN REDDY:

SHRI PARVATHANENI UPENDRA:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Home Ministry has recently received representations from November 1984 Riot Victims Association (Maharashtra Businesmen) for payment of compensation for the losses suffered by them during November 1984 riots for their uninsured commercial properties;

(b) if so, what action has been taken on their representations; and

(c) when such compensation is likely to be paid to the sufferers?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SANTOSH MOHAN DEV): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The same has been referred to the State Government of Maharashtra.

(c) Information is not available. However, that would depend on the decision of the Government of Maharashtra.

Representation from Riot Victims Association

2095. SHRI B. SATYANARAYAN ENDRA:

SHRI PARVATHANENI UNENDRA:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received representations from November, 1984 Riot Victims' Association (Delhi and Maharashtra Businessmen) for waiving of their bank loans and interest which were granted to them as relief measures; and

(b) if so, what action has been taken by the Central Government thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO): (a) Yes, Sir. A number of representations from the November, 1984 Riot Victims Association for waiver of bank loans and interest have been received by the Government and Reserve Bank of India.

(b) Reserve Bank of India had issued detailed guidelines in November, 1984 advising banks to provide need based loan assistance on comparatively softer terms and conditions to the persons affected in November, 1984 disturbances for continuing/re-establishing their production, business occupation etc. Further, banks were advised that a concessional rate of interest of 12.5 per cent was applicable to all fresh